



**Large Fire Priority:**

**Great Basin Priority Summary Based on the Most Recent 209's**  
**Date 7/24/2016 23:00**

Priority	State	Unit	Incident	Suppression Strategy	Descriptive Location	Size	24 hr Change	%	Expected Contain	Complexity / IC	Crews Assigned		Helicopters Assigned			Critical Needs					Threats
								Contained	Date		T-1	T-2 or 2/A	T-1	T-2	T-3	T-1	T-2 or 2/A	T-1	T-2	T-3	
1	ID	BOF	Pioneer	Full Suppression	8 miles north of Idaho City, ID	3,725	+197	32%	7/30/2016	Type 2	10	13	4	3	3						Critical watershed, repeater site, mining structures, recreational yurts
										Rosenthal											
2	WY	BTF	Cliff Creek	40 Confine 60 Full Suppression	15 miles east of Hoback, WY	16,325	+4119	10%	7/31/2016	Type 2	7	10	4	1	2						Potential Hwy 191 closure, powerlines, 30 residences, 20 minor structures
										DeMasters											
3	UT	FIF	Lower Ebbs	Full Suppression	4 miles south of Scipio, UT	5,000	+4700	0%	7/30/2016	Type 3	1	7	0	0	1						High tension powerline, communication line, potential I-15
										Teeples											
4	UT	NWS	West Antelope	Full Suppression	West side of Antelope Island, UT	14,560	+820	80%	7/26/2016	Type 3	1	1	0	0	1						Habitat for Buffalo and Mule Deer, communications repeater
										Sanders											
5	NV	ELD	Pinto	Full Suppression	15 miles SE Eureka, UT	1,912	0	80%	7/26/2016	Type 4	0	1	0	0	1						Primary and general Sage Grouse habitat, power line infrastructure
										Rosetti											
6	UT	SLD	Choke Cherry	Full Suppression	10 miles NW Callao UT	1,632	0	51%	7/30/2016	Type 4	0	1	0	0	1						
										Scroggin											
7	NV	CCD	Little Den	Full Suppression	45 miles WSW of Austin, NV	3,512	-48	100%	7/24/2016	Type 3	1	1	0	0	1						Primary and general Sage Grouse habitat, grazing areas
										Hecht											

\*\*\*Notes of Significance\*\*\*



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## Evening Brief

Date/Time Stamp: Sunday, July 24, 2016 - 11:00 PM

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### Weather Summary

#### \*\*\* HIGH RISK for Lightning Returning to Nevada Thu-Sat \*\*\*

A warming trend will be developing over the next several days, along with continued low humidity levels. Afternoon humidity over the next few days will be falling into the single digits across much of NV and UT, and 10-17% most other areas further north into ID/WY. In addition, increasingly poor RH recoveries are expected at night, across thermal belts in mid-upper slopes.

Isolated showers with some lightning late Monday and maybe even Tuesday across far eastern Utah, in areas where fuels have recently moistened. Afterwards atmospheric moisture gets suppressed as High Pressure builds across the area. This High will shift into Central NV later in the week, and the clockwise flow around the High will produce a SE flow of sub-tropical moisture into much of Nevada, starting Thursday across southern areas, spreading further northward Fri-Sat. Fuels are critically dry (see Fuels/Fire Potential) and this lightning event has the potential to become a major fire issue if current long range computer models remain on track.

Moisture will likely deepen across southern NV and the AZ strip later during this event, decreasing large fire risk by the end of the 7-day period. However, much of central and northern NV could see a mix of wet and dry strikes, on top of near record dry fuels. There is also the possibility of lightning getting into southern Idaho by next weekend, but model uncertainty this far out prevents us from issuing "High Risk" in ID at this time. We will continue to monitor this situation as we get closer to this event.

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### Preparedness Levels

#### Current:

Great Basin	4
National	2

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#### Great Basin Fire Activity: Moderate

New Fires and Acres: 31 fires for 252 acres 9788 growth fire growth

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#### Resources:

- GBCC is at drawdown for crews
  - 23 IHCs are committed within the Great Basin
  - 75 crews (T1, T2IA, T2) are committed within the Great Basin
- 146 Engines are committed to large fires within the Great Basin
- 29 Helicopters are committed to large fires within the Great Basin
- Resources are being reassigned as they become available

## Current Incident Details

### Todays Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude
Clinton	2016-UTCCD-000461	0.1	Not Contained	37.304	111.6709
Crawford Springs	2016-UTUWF-000499	0.1	Out 07/24/16	41.5407	111.4428
Horsehead Point	2016-UTSES-006228	0.1	Not Contained	37.69307	109.1963
Eastland	2016-UTMFC-006227	1.1	Out 07/24/16	37.77814	109.168
Shurtz canyon	2016-UTCCD-000460	0.1	Controlled 07/24/16	37.61265	113.0915
Rocky Stone	2016-UTCCD-000459	0.1	Not Contained	37.44439	111.9981
Blue Creek	2016-UTMLF-006226	0.1	Not Contained	37.89235	109.605
Group Site	2016-WYGTP-001617	0.1	Out 07/24/16	43.91708	110.6406
Lightning Ridge 1	2016-UTUWF-000498	0.1	Out 07/24/16	41.38071	111.4833
Quaking Aspen	2016-UTSCS-006148	0.1	Controlled 07/24/16	39.62166	111.3678
MM 57	2016-NVWID-020113	0.1	Controlled 07/24/16	41.82828	118.5783
Hill 52 # 3	2016-UTUWF-000496	0.1	Out 07/24/16	41.40671	111.525
Landmark	2016-UTNES-000494	0.1	Contained 07/24/16	40.72526	111.5465
Kingston	2016-NVHTF-020112	0.1	Out 07/24/16	39.26299	117.1624
Dry Bread Pond 6	2016-UTUWF-000495	0.1	Out 07/24/16	41.41227	111.5392
Major Evans	2016-UTUWF-000492	15	Not Contained	40.51395	111.6242
Canyon Top	2016-UTSES-006224	0.1	Out 07/24/16	37.69844	109.1189
Angie	2016-UTCCD-000454	0.1	Controlled 07/24/16	37.35225	111.6263
Boowers	2016-UTDIF-000453	1	Not Contained	37.55606	112.6195
Jackameadow	2016-NVWID-020111	0.1	Not Contained	41.97345	117.7331
MM 40	2016-NVWID-020110	0.1	Controlled 07/24/16	41.61835	118.4495
Riverfront	2016-UTNWS-000489	5	Contained 07/24/16	40.01336	111.4976
Brushy Basin	2016-UTSES-006222	0.1	Out 07/24/16	37.70348	109.5276
Carrol Canyon	2016-UTMLF-006221	0.1	Out 07/24/16	37.73592	109.4991

## Great Basin Fire Potential Summary

### \*\*\* Fuels Approaching Record Dry Levels in Many Areas \*\*\*

ERCs have decreased significantly over eastern Utah where wetting rains with thunderstorms developed over the past week. However, ERCs elsewhere are quite high, with **many areas in the 90th to 97th percentile**. ERCs will continue to climb across the western and northern portions of the Great Basin where hot and/or dry/breezy weather will continue...possibly reaching new record levels by the middle to end of this upcoming week. Many

A Fuel and Fire Behavior Advisory is also in effect for the Northern half of Nevada, Southwest Idaho and Northwest Utah.

Live fuel moisture across much of Western UT and most of NV are near record dry levels as well.

These extremely dry fuel conditions across Nevada will play a critical role in the possible upcoming lightning event Thu-Sat.

\*\*\* Please refer to our fuels page for more detailed information \*\*\* <http://gacc.nifc.gov/gbcc/fuels.php>

For more detail, see Great Basin 7-Day Fire Potential Outlook

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)